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In Re PATENT APPLICATION of:

Applicant(s): Joseph Kuczynski et al.

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For: LAND GRID ARRAY (LGA) INTERPOSER
WITH ADHESIVE-RETAINED CONTACTS
AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURE

Docket No.: IBM 229

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May 24, 2005

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

This paper is in response to the Official Action mailed on April 29, 2005. No fee is due. However, please charge our Deposit Account No. 18-0002 if any fees are needed to enter this paper, and please advise us accordingly. It is noted that no petition is required because of the authorization to charge, but please consider this paper a petition for extension of time if needed.

The Examiner and the undersigned attorney discussed the election during a telephone call on May 23, 2005, for which the Examiner is thanked.

The amendment to claims 1 and 17 is supported in Fig. 1A and at page 6, line 30 and page 9, line 27 ("c-shaped"); page 4, line 11-12; page 7, lines 16-20; and page 9, lines 12-18.

The PTO clerks are requested to send future correspondence to RABIN & BERDO, P.C.,

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